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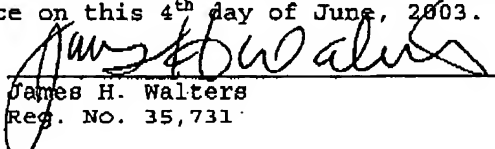
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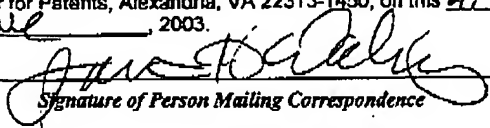
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In the claims:

Please cancel claim 10.

Please amend claim 11 by replacing it with the like-numbered
claim herein. Markups are provided at the end of the response to
illustrate the changes made.

61 11. (Amended) An ink jet imaging apparatus having a
printing head having plural nozzles for ink ejection, and first
ink ejection elements formed respectively near each of the
nozzles for ejecting the ink from the nozzle; and forming an